

**WILLIAM SCOTT, Son of the now deceased**

Baillie THOMAS SCOTT Baker in Glasgow, failed from the Thames, in the Tree Briton East India ship, in the service of the Hon. the English East India Company, in the month of March 1770, and was thereafter Sergeant Major in the first Battalion of the Company's Light Infantry in Bombay; but of whom no certain accounts can be had for these four years past, although application has been made to the East India House for that purpose.

In case the said William Scott is still in life, or in default of him, if any of his lawful issue exist, he or they, by application to Baillie Walter Lang baker in Glasgow, may hear of something for their advantage, which will be preferred for their appearance, for two years from this date; after which time, if he or they do not appear, the same will be disposed of, agreeable to the last will of the said Thomas Scott, as if the said William Scott had died without issue. And any person who can give certain accounts of the said William Scott, or authentic accounts his death, and whether married or unmarried, with or without lawful issue, intestate, or having left a will, and shall transmit accounts to the said Baillie Walter Lang, shall have all their charges paid, and a gratuity for their trouble.

Glasgow, December 15, 1780.

**ANNUITY to be SOLD.**

**TO SELL**, an ANNUITY of 200 l. sterling, payable quarterly, on the life of Sir Thomas Wallace Dunlop, secured by adjudication on his estate.—Enquire at Alexander Mackenzie writer to the Signet.

**AN ENSIGNCY** in an old Regiment to be SOLD on reasonable terms.—For particulars, apply to Mr William Macdonald writer to the Signet.

**WANTED TO BORROW.**

**FOUR THOUSAND POUNDS** Sterling, upon unexceptionable heritable security.—Apply to Thomas Macdonald writer to the Signet.

**JAMAICA and ANTIGUA RUM.**

**RICHARD RICHARDSON** has received, in consignment from a Company in Glasgow, some fine OLD RUM, which he retails at his Cellars and Shop within the Exchange, Edinburgh, at the following prices, for ready money only:

JAMAICA, at 12 s. per gallon.

ANTIGUA, at 13 s. per gallon.

Also in Bottles, (each bottle holding a full English quart) at the above prices, with the additional charge of the bottle.

TEA; Claret, Port, and Sherry WINES, sold at said shop.

**A SALE OF TEAS and SPIRITS, &c.**

**WILLIAM MOFFAT** and Co. at their ware-house, north side of the Lawn market, opposite Liberton's wynd Edinburgh, return their grateful thanks to the public for the generous encouragement they have lately met with, and are happy it is in their power to merit their future favours, having at present a large quantity of goods on hand, of preferable quality, and at more moderate prices than any yet offered to sale, and which they are now selling at the following prices, viz.

Best Bohea Tea, at 3 s. 3 d. per lib. Very best ditto, at 7 s. 6 d. per lib.  
 Congo, at 5 s. 6 d. per lib. Souchong, at 11 s.  
 Fine ditto, at 6 s. 6 d. per lib. Superior, at 13 s.  
 Shoulong, at 6 s. 9 d.

The tea sold Dutch weight.—Sugars at prime cost.

Foreign and British spirits of the very best qualities, that will give universal satisfaction, and on the lowest terms.

Ladies and Gentlemen may depend on receiving the greatest civility, and their goods carefully sent to their lodgings.

**NOTICE**

**THAT** in the process of exoneration brought before the Court of Session, at the instance of Adam Keir baker in Edinburgh, surviving Trustee for the Creditors of the deceased ROBERT FLEMING printer in Edinburgh, against the creditors and children of the said Robert Fleming, the Lord Weirhall Ordinary, by interlocutor dated 12th December 1780, found, that the pursuer Adam Keir may give up and surrender the trust, and declared accordingly; and farther, ordained the creditors to meet at John's Coffee-house in Edinburgh, on the 15th January 1781, by twelve o'clock noon, to elect a new trustee in his place, and appointed such election to be reported to the Lord Ordinary again the first Wednesday day of January. This notification is given, agreeable to the directions contained in the forclosed interlocutor.

**NOTICE**

To the CREDITORS of the deceased JOHN WOOD Tenant in Cumledge.

**THE** Creditors of the said JOHN WOOD are desired to lodge an account of their debts, with their oaths of verity thereon, in the hands of Alexander Christie junior, writer in Dunfermline, betwixt and the tenth day of January next. And upon the twentieth day of January next, they are desired to call at the said Alexander Christie junior for their dividend of his effects.

**NOTICE to CREDITORS.**

**SUCH** of the Creditors of JAMES DOUGAL, late maltman in Perth, who have not lodged their claims upon his estate, are desired to give in a note of their debts, and affidavits thereon, to Andrew Davidson writer in Perth, betwixt and the 10th of January next, otherwise they will receive no share of the funds; and such as have lodged their claims, or shall before that time, may call for their dividends at Andrew Davidson's house, on the 19th of January.

Not to be repeated.

**TO BE SOLD.**

**A HOUSE** on the east side of Nicolson's Street, near the south end of it, consisting of three fire rooms; one entering by a fore stair from the street, the other two separately, by a back stair, being the first flat of the new-built Tenement, almost opposite to Mr Gibb's meeting-house, on the south side of the archway passage, or entry to the proposed road from Nicolson's Park to Pleasance, with two cellars below the house, the one entering directly from the street, the other by the back of the tenement; and a small coal-cellar under the stair.

The whole is in good order, and well finished, and will be shown by James Gray writer, Nicolson's Street, to whom, or to Bain Whyte writer, Castlehill, apply for further particulars.

**HOUSE to be SOLD.**

To be SOLD by private Bargain, and entered into at the term of Whitsunday next.

**THAT** commodious DWELLING HOUSE, lying upon the south side of the Castlehill of Edinburgh, originally possessed by the deceased Mr Hamilton Gordon advocate, and now by Mrs Brodie, consisting of eleven fire rooms, with closets adjoining to each of the bedrooms; kitchen, garrets, cellar, and other conveniences.

The house is pleasantly situated, and has an extensive view to the south, and a garden in the front, with a water-pipe in the court, and a gate and entry belonging solely to the tenement; the whole affording every convenience for accommodating a large family.

These premises may be seen every Tuesday and Friday, between the hours of twelve o'clock noon and two afternoon; and the title-deeds, which are clear and unexceptionable, are in the hands of William Dunbar writer to the Signet, to whom, or to Mrs Brodie, any person intending to purchase may apply.

N. B. If not disposed of by the middle of January, the house will be LET at Whitsunday next.

**BUTTERWORTH'S WRITING SCHOOL.**

**MR BUTTERWORTH**, lately appointed Writing-Master to the High School, being now settled in his house in Brown's Square, will open School there till his public room in the High-School Yard is fitted up.

He will begin teaching on Tuesday the 2d January next; and in the mean time will wait on those who intend to favour him with the education of their children, or others under their care, upon notice being left at his lodgings, the north-east corner of the Square.

The hours for public teaching will be from ten till three o'clock, one of which hours, as may be most agreeable, will be set apart for young Ladies.

**BRITISH LINEN OFFICE,**

Edinburgh, 4th December 1780.

**THE** General Court of Proprietors of the British Linen Company, having ordered a Dividend on their Stock, for the year ending the thirtieth day of May last, payable at Christmas next, notice is hereby given to the proprietors to call for the same at the Company's office. And, in order to settle said dividend, no transfer of stock will be made from Friday the 15th to Monday the 25th current, both days inclusive.

From the London Papers, Dec. 18.

**Madrid, Nov. 21.** Several ships remained at sea belonging to the French fleet, which came back to Cadix after the furious tempest in the night of October 31, soon after it set sail, and among so many ships it was impossible to mention those which were missing, at the departure of the courier dispatched by the Commander, Don Louis de Cordova, at his return. These ships appeared on the 6th inst. when Count D'Estaing, having made a signal for their not coming in, ordered his squadron to sail out; as there was but little wind few ships could hoist sail; the others with the convoy sailed the next day, and was followed the same day by part of ours, so that both fleets had their complement. The French man of war, the Guerrier, and the Courageux frigate, remain here to be repaired.

**Lisbon, Nov. 14.** A Dutch ship arrived here last week, and informed us, that she met the English fleet, consisting of 35 sail, off Cape Finisterre, on which some light vessels were dispatched immediately, to inform the English Admiral of the sailing of the combined squadrons from Cadiz.

**Lisbon, Nov. 20.** A ship that left Bengal the 12th of July last, is arrived here in 26 days; a Portuguese on board her says, that in March 1779, he had sailed, in another ship before Pondicherry, where he saw the English employed in demolishing the fortifications; he adds, that passing by that place again in the month of July following, he saw all the fortifications entirely levelled; and that Admiral Hughes kept on the defensive.

**Paris, Dec. 8.** They write from Cape Francois, of the 12th of September, that Commodore de Montell, commanding the King's ships stationed in those seas, had taken two English ships, viz. the Unicorn frigate of 28 guns, and the Gayton brig of 18 guns; and that he had also retaken two American vessels, that had been captured by some privateers.

**Hague, Dec. 3.** It is said that the States-General, after the assembly held last Friday, were employed secretly on some dispatches arrived from Petersburg; but we are yet ignorant of the result. We are assured that the presents intended for the Russian Ministers are settled, that the Prime Minister Count de Panin, and the Vice-Chancellor Count Osterman, will receive each 6000 roubles.

**A M E R I C A.**

From the SOUTH-CAROLINA GAZETTE, of Oct. 4.

**Charleston, O. 4.** Last night arrived here a sloop from Jamaica, which she left on the 5th ult. in company with the homeward-bound fleet, and several vessels for America, under convoy of twelve line of battle ships, one of 50 guns, and a frigate, commanded by Admiral Rowley; five of the line were to proceed with the vessels for Europe, the others to return to their station.

A fleet of nine sail of transports, conveyed by the Pelican frigate, having about 1300 troops on board, commanded by Gen. Garth, sailed on the 5th of September from Kingston for the Spanish main. A much greater force, it was expected, would soon follow.

**Sept. 18.** Wednesday last arrived at Sandy Hook, Sir George Brydges Rodney, Rear Admiral of England, with the following ships under his command.

90 Sandwich	Admiral Rodney
74 Terrible	Capt. Ferguson
74 Ruffel	Commodore Drake
74 Centaur	Nott
74 Triumph	Affleck
74 Culloden	Balfour
74 Alcide	Brisbane
74 Torbay	Gideon
74 Shrewsbury	Robinson
64 Yarmouth	Jaggiesden
42 La Fortune	Christian

The ship Lion, bound from Charleston to Jamaica, having been taken by the enemy, was happily recovered and brought to Sandy Hook, by Admiral Sir George Brydges Rodney's fleet.

We are assured, that when General Gates arrived at Philadelphia, from the southward, he acquainted the Congress, that unless an army, as numerous as that under the command of General Washington, was sent to the Carolinas immediately, all was over in that quarter of the continent.

SAVANNAH, (Georgia) Sept. 14.

Extract of a letter from a gentleman in the West-Indies, to his friend in St Augustine.

"Our success at Nicaragua is far beyond expectation; we are now so strong on that lake, that no force the Spaniards can send against us will ever be able to take it from us; the frames of several twenty-gun ships, are arrived with Lord Chatham and Gen. Garth from England, and are put up by this time; they will effectually prevent any force from opposing our troops, or attempts to cross any part of the lake. In short, it is one of the greatest enterprises ever at-

tempted against Spain, and will hurt them more than the loss of the Havana did last war."

**L O N D O N.**

Saturday night some dispatches were said to be received from Sir Joseph Yorke, at the Hague, with advice, that the Dutch East India Company have given orders for the raising 1400 men to be sent to the garrisons in India, exclusive of that sent out by the States; and that a 70, a 60, and a 50 gun ship will go with them.

Letters from Holland mention, that the unusual exertions of that Republic in augmenting their navy, is not with an intention of intermeddling with the affairs of Europe, but to strengthen themselves in the East-Indies, where they are going to transport a large body of troops.

The desire of the Grand Pensionary de Bleiwyk, of Holland, communicated to all the Pensionaries of the towns in the United Provinces, notwithstanding it has had the concurrence of the Prince Stadtholder, will not be so readily obeyed as imagined; and, if obeyed at all, will in all probability raise some disagreeable commotions among the Dutch, they having, like Englishmen, long gloried in the freedom of their press, and of their political discussions; and to be restrained from inserting in their Gazettes any of the deliberations or resolutions of the States, will undoubtedly be conceived a violation of that liberty which has for many years been their pride. The press has ever been, in a free country, the great security of the people: Every attempt, therefore, to curtail its liberties, is an insult offered to the people, which ought not to be submitted to. They have a right to know the proceedings of those to whom their lives and properties are entrusted; and if they submit to the deprivation of this right, they are unworthy the name of men, or of the climate of freedom.

It has been an old argument, that liberty frequently degenerates into licentiousness; this may be true: But do not the laws of every country provide a sufficient punishment for that licentiousness; or, even if it were not so, it would be the fault of the legislature, and not of the people. And can it be thought reasonable that the dearest privileges of a nation should be torn from it, because the legislature has neglected to adopt modes of preventing bad men from abusing their liberty? the Dutch will answer, No: And we may soon expect to see a little business in the States, if this arbitrary desire should be enforced.

This morning some dispatches were received from Admiral Darby, which were brought in the Fly cutter, arrived at Plymouth.

It is said, Government received advice last night, that Count d'Estaing's whole squadron and convoy had got into Brest.

The various reports of advice being received of the two fleets having been several days in sight of each other, are totally groundless; the odds are at least ten to one, that both fleets are in port in the course of the next week, without even having seen each other.

Admiral Darby's squadron is hourly expected in the Channel, as it is well known they must have been upon short allowance for want of bread for more than a fortnight past.

Amidst the various reports concerning the situation of the grand fleet, the most authentic intelligence is that brought by the Jason, who came immediately from Admiral Darby, and brings nothing more than that they were all well at that time, cruising off Cape Finisterre.

Captain M'Bride in his private letter declares, that he saw the combined fleets hovering about, for near ten days together, in the latitude appointed for Admiral Darby's rendezvous; and what added to his surprise, was, the first French frigate he saw repeated his signals.

Commodore Johnstone will certainly return to his station at Lisbon, before the expiration of next month; he has obtained permission of the Admiralty-board to take Capt. Macdowal with him, who has long served with the rank of Admiral in the navy of Portugal; this measure, it is expected, will prove very salutary, as he is a great favourite with the Portuguese seamen, which will no doubt stimulate them to enter into the British service.

The last dispatches from Quebec mention the rapidity and success with which Sir John Johnstone had penetrated as far as Albany, and the great increase of his army on his march, the country people flocking to his standard from all quarters.

Letters from Naples to a merchant in town say, that the Sicilian Court have absolutely denied engaging in the armed neutrality, which refusal is still the more extraordinary, the present King of Sicily being the son and immediate heir of the King of Spain; from hence it is no unfair inference to conclude, that the Spaniards in general are by no means friends to the present war.

Lord George Gordon must be tried in the course of the next term, or be liberated from his captivity by the Court of King's Bench, agreeable to a provisionary clause in Magna Charta.

The Ministry are said to be playing a bad game, and like desperate adventurers throwing for their last stake; should the hit be unlucky, they will then be on a footing with Opposition, who have long since lost their all, and hence may at length arise the long wished for coalition of parties, and the honourable Mr Fox be as well qualified for Prime Minister, as the most honourable character in the kingdom.

General Lee is spoken of as one of the officers who left the enemy, and joined Sir Henry Clinton at New York. Such a character can be no acquisition to either party, his duplicity being too gross even for American hypocrisy. English officers can never rank with a man who has added desertion to rebellion, and ignobly quitted the royal standard while he bore the King's commission, and received his country's pay.





## Messrs YOUNGE, GREAVES, and HOY.

LAND, of Sheffield, Manufacturers of Silver and Plated Ware in general, having obtained his Majesty's Royal Letters Patent for the sole making of Candlesticks with a Screw in the Noddy, and is constructed, that by turning the Noddy only, the candle is raised and lowered at pleasure, until the whole is consumed, — beg leave to recommend to the Public the utility of this invention, not being liable to injury from the carelessness of servants, and may be taken out to clean with ease. — An assortment of Silver and Plated CANDLESTICKS, of the above new invention, of the most elegant and fashionable patterns, are now selling at the shops of

Messrs Patrick Robertson, Alexander Gardener, Robert Johnston, Peter Forrester, White and Mitchell, } Jewellers, Edinburgh.  
 } Merchants, Edinburgh.  
 IN QUEEN'S STREET, at the Shops of  
 Mr William Fraser, New Town, Edinburgh.  
 John Ferguson, Copperfinch, West Bow, Edinburgh.

TO be SOLD, by public roup, within the Exchange Coffee-house, Edinburgh, on Wednesday the 31st day of January 1781, between the hours of five and six afternoon,

The SUBJECTS after mentioned which belonged to the deceased Mr Robert Syme clerk to the signet, in the following lots:

I. A LARGE LODGING presently let furnished to Colonel Mordaunt, with offices, garden, and pertinents, lying in the west end of the Mid-row of Musselburgh, upon the south side of the street, consisting of a kitchen, parlour, servants rooms, and closet, in the first floor: A dining-room and drawing-room fronting the street, and three bed-chambers backward, with closets and presses on the second floor: A nursery and servants room with fire-place in the third floor: A stable, hay-loft, coach-house, cellar, and washing-house within the court. The garden consists of about 4 Scots acres, one half in kitchen ground, planted with fruit-trees, and the other half in grass. — Likewise, a LAIGH HOUSE, being part of the ground story of the said lodging, consisting of a kitchen and two rooms, but having a separate entry from the court of the lodging, and which may, at a trifling expence, for the accommodation of a large family, be made part of, and taken into the lodging. This house will be exposed either with the lodging and garden, &c. or separately.

II. A LESSER LODGING, with a small garden, offices, and pertinents, in the west end of Musselburgh, upon the north side of the street, opposite to the mill, consisting of a kitchen and parlour, with a concealed bed, and light closet, on the first floor: a dining-room and bed-room on the second floor; and a cellar, washing-house, and pigeon-house in the garden.

III. A LODGING entered by a turnpike from the street, being the third story of that tenement at the head of Forrester's Wynd, Edinburgh, lately possessed by the said deceased Robert Syme, and consisting of five rooms, kitchen, and garret, besides a writing office and bedroom, to which last there is a separate stair from the back of Bell Wynd, and a private stair communicating with the principal house.

IV. THREE DWELLING-HOUSES and CELLARS, in Cant's Close, being the low and first and third floors within the second turnpike on the west side of the close, presently possessed by the tenants following: Ground floor by — Stewart, rent 2 l. 10 s.; second floor by Mr Hay Wright, rent 7 l.; and third floor by Miss Murray, rent 6 l. 10 s. Sterling. These three dwelling-houses and cellars will be set up in one lot, or separately, as purchasers incline.

The subjects will be shown by the present possessors; and the progress of writs and articles of sale are in the hands of James Thomson, clerk to the signet, Carrubers' close.

It is requested, that those who stood indebted to the said deceased Mr Robert Syme will, without delay, order payment to the said James Thomson, who, as disponee of Mr Syme, in trust for behoof of his creditors, is authorised to receive and discharge all debts due to him. And such as have claims against Mr Syme will please lodge with the trustee exact notes thereof, specifying how the same are instructed.

## JUDICIAL SALE.

### BY ADJOURNMENT.

SUBJECTS to be set up in lots at lower upset sums.  
TO be SOLD, by roup, within the New Session-house of Edinburgh upon Thursday the 8th day of February next, betwixt the hours of two and four afternoon,

The LANDS in the territory of Eyemouth, and county of Berwick, with the portion of Coldingham Common allocated as part and pertinent; and the HOUSES and YARDS in the town of Eyemouth, belonging to James Turnbull merchant in Eyemouth, in the following lots: viz.

Lot I. The Field-lands, with the portion of the common in one lot, at the upset sum of 673 l. 15 s. 6 d. g. 12ths, being at the rate of twenty-three years purchase of the stock, and five years purchase of 1 l. 3 s. 10 d. 5-12ths of teind.

Lot II. The Tenement of Houses and Granaries in Eyemouth, with the pertinents acquired from Sir James Hume in one lot, at the upset sum of 243 l. 12 s. 2 d. 8-12ths Sterling, being at the rate of ten years purchase.

Lot III. The large House possessed by James Turnbull and others, and the rest of the Houses in Eyemouth, with the yards and pertinents belonging to the common debtor in one lot, at the upset sum of 383 l. 5 s. 3 d. 10-12ths Sterling, being at the rate of eleven years purchase.

The subjects, holding, and deductions, are particularly described and stated in the act and articles of roup, which may be seen, by applying to Alexander Ross deputy clerk of session, Thomas Cockburn writer to the signet; and persons intending to purchase may also apply for information to David Roston writer in Eyemouth.

## AT LONDON, THE GREENHEAD,

CHARLES BUCHANAN Master, is taking in goods at Hawley's Wharf, for Edinburgh, Leith, Dalkeith, Musselburgh, Haddington, Jedburgh, Hawick, Selkirk, Kirkcaldie, Dyfart, Pittenweem, Queensferry, Dunfermline, Linlithgow, Falkirk, and all places adjacent to the frith of Forth, deliverable at Leith: Will sail the 8th January 1781, with or without convey.

The Master to be spoke with at the Exchange, or Edinburgh Coffee-house No. 1. Swinburn's Alley; mornings and Evenings on board.

## At CARRON FOR LONDON,

To sail December 23. 1780.

THE PAISLEY, W. DUNCAN Master, mounting 20 eighteen pounders, and men answerable. For freight or passage, apply to Mr G. Hamilton, Glasgow; Mr John Learmonth, Leith; or to the Carron Shipping Company at Carron Wharf.

N. B. The Carron vessels are fitted out in the most complete manner for defence, at a very considerable expence, and are well provided with small arms. Able-bodied Landmen, who are desirous to serve on board these ships for 3 years certain, will meet with the best encouragement, and be protected. All mariners, recruiting parties, soldiers upon furlow, and all other seagoing passengers, who have been accustomed to the use of fire arms, and will engage to assist in defending themselves, shall be accommodated with their passage to or from London, upon satisfying the matters for their provisions, which in no instance shall exceed 10 s. 6 d. sterling.

The Carron vessels sail regularly as usual, without waiting for convoy; and goods are received and forwarded from Leith by Mr J. Learmonth.

## A HOUSE TO SELL.

TO be SOLD by public voluntary roup, within John's Coffeehouse in Edinburgh, upon Wednesday the 10th day of January next, betwixt the hours of five and six afternoon,

That DWELLING-HOUSE presently possessed by Mr David Sheppard merchant, consisting of four rooms and a kitchen, with other conveniences, all well lighted, situated at the head of Carrubers' close, upon the east side thereof, with an easy access, by a few steps off the close. — The house may be seen all lawful days, betwixt twelve and two. For further particulars, apply to Walter Scott clerk to the signet, who will show the articles of roup and progress of writs, and who has power to conclude a private bargain.

## SALE OF A HOUSE IN CANONGATE.

TO be SOLD, That LODGING, being the Fourth Flat or Storey of Jack's Land, nearly opposite to the entry of St John's street, Canongate, and presently possessed by Mr Henry Home writer to the signet, at the yearly rent of 18 l. sterling; with the garret and cellar belonging thereto: All insured in the Edinburgh Friendly Insurance. For further particulars, enquire at Alexander McKenzie writer to the signet.

## SALE of LANDS in LANARKSHIRE.

THERE is to be exposed to sale by public roup, within the house of Peter Mackinlay, vintner in Glasgow, upon Wednesday the 14th day of February 1781, at twelve o'clock mid-day, by the Trustee for the creditors of James Hamilton of Stevenston,

The Forty Shilling Land, of old extent, of STEVENSTON, lying within the parish of Bothwell and shire of Lanark.

ALSO, the Half-merk Land of AUCHINLONING, lying within the parish of Old Monkland, and shire of Lanark.

The lands of Stevenston hold of the Duke of Hamilton, consist of 343 Scots acres, and upwards; and are mostly enclosed and subdivided by ditches and hedges, which last are in a thriving condition. There are a good mansion-house, office-houses, garden, and orchard on the lands, with sundry farm-houses; also a copse wood of eight acres, and about six acres of planting; and there is coal in the ground which may be wrought at a small expence. These lands are most pleasantly situated in a populous neighbourhood, within half a mile of the great roads leading from Edinburgh to Glasgow and Hamilton; within eight miles of Glasgow and three of Hamilton.

The lands of Auchinloning hold of the Crown, and consist of about 28 Scots acres, all enclosed and subdivided. There is a good farm-house on the lands, which lie within five miles of Glasgow, and near the Monkland canal.

The lands of Stevenston and Auchinloning will be exposed separately; and the lands of Stevenston will be exposed either in whole or in the following lots:

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| I. The MAINS of STEVENSTON, with the mansion-house and offices, as lately in the possession of the said James Hamilton, consisting of | 142 | 2 | 28 |
| II. The Lands of STONEHEAD, YETT, and NEW-ARTHILL, possessed by John Turner and subtenants                                            | 114 | 1 | 33 |
| III. The Lands of PICKERSTONHILL,                                                                                                     | 37  | 1 | 24 |
| IV. The Lands of LITTLE WRANGHOLM, possessed by John Thomson,                                                                         | 24  | 1 | 24 |
| V. The Lands of COALPITS, possessed by John Buchanan,                                                                                 | 14  | 2 | 3  |

Mr Hamilton of Stevenston will show the premises, with a plan of the land: And the articles of roup, rental, and progress of writs, will be seen in the Sheriff-clerk's office in Glasgow. Copies of the articles of roup, rental, and inventory of writs, will also be seen in the Sheriff-clerk's office at Hamilton; and in the hands of David Erskine clerk to the signet, Edinburgh, where full information will be given to persons inclining to purchase.

## SALE OF LANDS IN ARGYLE-SHIRE.

TO be SOLD by public voluntary roup within the house of Mr Robert Syme vintner in Levenary, on Thursday the 11th day of January next 1781, between the hours of twelve at mid-day, and one in the afternoon, either jointly, or in the lots aftermentioned,

The Lands of AUCHALICK, AUCHADARLICK, DERINERINACH, DARINAKARDACH, and LAGG; as also, The Lands of BALMORE, and the Lands of KILMICHAEL, with the SUPERIORITY of the lands of Stronachanach, Balnakeil, and Keills — all lying in the parishes of Kilmichael of Glasfrie, Knapdale, and Kilmacmangil.

The lands are of considerable extent, and, from their situation, very capable of improvement. The present free rent is about 310 l. sterling, besides some services which are not converted; but a considerable augmentation on some of the farms may be reasonably expected. The property lands are held of subject superiors, for payment of small re-duties. The superiorities holding of the Crown afford a qualification to vote for a member of Parliament.

If in LOTS the following are proposed:

LOT I. The Lands of Auchalick, Auchadarlick, Derinerinach, Darinakardach, and Lagg; yielding of yearly free rent about 102 l.

LOT II. The Lands of Balmore, and the lands of Kilmichael, yielding about 108 l.

LOT III. The superiority of the lands of Stronachanach, Balnakeil, and Keills, holding of the Crown, and which afford a qualification to vote for a member of Parliament, — the feu duties of which amount to 58 s. 8 d. 10-12ths sterling.

The title-deeds and articles of roup are in the hands of Allan Macdougall writer to the signet, Edinburgh, to whom, or to Peter Murdoch, Esq; merchant in Glasgow, who have power to conclude a private bargain, those intending to become purchasers, and who are desirous of further information, may apply.

## BY ADJOURNMENT.

TO be SOLD by public roup or auction, within the Exchange Coffee-house Edinburgh, on Thursday the 1st February 1781, betwixt the hours of five and seven afternoon,

I. The Lands and Estate of DRUMPELLIER, LANGLOAN, COATS, BLAIRS, and COALDYKE, consisting of 600 English acres or thereby, lying in the parish of Old Monkland, and county of Lanark, seven miles eastward of Glasgow, on a turnpike road always kept in good repair; to be exposed at 10,000 l. Sterling.

This estate holds of the Crown, and entitles the proprietor to a freehold qualification in the county. It is all inclosed and subdivided, and above 100 acres is planted with thriving trees of different kinds, prettily divided with serpentine walks and beech hedges.

There is an excellent modern mansion-house on this estate, of 13 rooms, a good kitchen, large stables and offices almost new, and every other accommodation for a gentleman's family. The house is pleasantly situated, commanding an extensive prospect; and the policies and gardens around it are elegantly laid out, and well kept.

The whole grounds abound with thick seams of coal lying near the surface, easily wrought, and cheaply conveyed towards Glasgow by the Monkland Canal, which traverses the estate. Two coal-works are opened, and now carrying on with great success, and two more are ready for working; so the coal must soon yield a great annual profit to the proprietor. There is also a fine free-stone quarry in the estate.

III. The Lands of HOLE, consisting of about 44 English acres, or thereby, with a Superiority over lands yielding 4 l. Sterling of yearly feu-duty, lying also in the said parish of Old Monkland, four miles eastward from Glasgow on the said turnpike road; to be exposed at 750 l. Sterling.

The Monkland Canal also traverses these lands, and they likewise abound with seams of coal.

For further particulars, apply to Robert Trotter writer to the signet, Edinburgh, who will show the title-deeds, the conditions of sale, and a plan or survey of the estate; or to Thomas Buchanan writer in Glasgow, who will show copies of the inventory of the progress, and of the conditions of sale, and also the lands themselves, to those intending to purchase.

## HOUSE IN QUEEN'S STREET.

TO be SOLD, and entered to as soon as purchasers incline, The HOUSE, OFFICES, and GARDEN in Queen's Street, which belonged to the late ROBERT ORD, Esq; Lord Chief Baron.

The house will be sold as it at present stands, or it may be easily divided into two, by which the eastmost house will consist of three rooms on a flat, and the westmost of two; with great conveniences in the sunk floor.

If the house is thus divided, the garden and offices will be sold together or separately.

For further particulars, enquire at John Wauchope writer to the signet; where may be seen, a plan of the house, with the division proposed.

## SALE of LANDS in the County of Forfar.

### BY ADJOURNMENT.

### UPSET PRICES REDUCED.

TO be SOLD by public auction, within the Exchange Coffeehouse of Edinburgh, on Friday the 9th day of March next, at five o'clock in the afternoon,

The Lands and Estate of KINNORDY and INVERCARITY, lying in the parishes of Kirriemuir, Tannadvice, Lentrathen, and Glenisla, and shire of Forfar, the yearly free rent whereof, including the rises which take place in 1780 and 1781, is 1755 l. 13 s. 3 d. Sterling. — There is a great number of services and carriages not rented, which, at the ordinary conversions, would amount to about 50 l. sterling per annum; and in 1782, and three following years, additional rises come on to the extent of about 35 l.

The lands lie mostly contiguous, in the rich and agreeable country of Strathmore, about three miles from Forfar, nine from Brechin, and much the same distance from Cupar of Angus, all good market towns.

The estate is very extensive and improvable, having inexhaustible marle and moss; the first of which, for many years past, has produced about 2000. the last about 50 l. per annum; and the demand is increasing, the marle for season 1780 having produced 3700 l. There is a large improvable muir in the neighbourhood of the marle; of which, on a legal division, the greatest part will fall to this estate. The mains of Kinnordy and Invercarity are inclosed with stone dykes, or ditches and hedges; and there is both at Kinnordy and Invercarity a great deal of thriving planting of different ages, and a good deal of it fit for cutting.

There is an excellent mansion-house at Kinnordy, fit to accommodate any family, with a complete set of offices entirely new; a large kitchen garden, and good pigeon-house.

The lands hold partly of the Crown, entitling the proprietor to two votes at elections for members of Parliament, and partly of subjects superiors, for payment of small feu duties. The proprietor has right to the teinds of all the lands, except two small parcels; and of one of these the teinds are valued.

The estate will be exposed to sale either in cumulo, at 41,000 l. sterling or in the following LOTS, at the upset prices after specified.

### L O T I.

The Mains and Manor-place of KINNORDY, with the policy, garden, and offices; the Lands of Little Inchcaufway-end, Catlawhorn, Meikle Mill, and Mill-Lands; the lands of Clockmill, Balbradie, Lockrum, Mid-brae, Baffardbrae, Cowhawk, Meikle Cramond Inch, and Moffie Parks, whereof the free rent, including 11 l. of rises in 1780 and 1781, with 200 l. for marle, 50 l. for moss, and 19 l. 14 s. 9 d. for feu-duties, is 868 l. 16 s. 5 d. besides a further rise of 10 l. 7 s. 5 d. which comes on in 1782, and 3 l. 6 s. 8 d. in 1784. The upset price to be 19,500 l.

On the Mains is a great deal of planting, valued above 1400 l. besides about 300 acres of Chene-hill, inclosed, and planted in a very thriving way, and valued at 15 l. per annum, but not rented.

The lands lie in the parish of Kirriemuir, and hold of a subject superior, for payment of a small feu-duty; but superiorities in the parish of Tannadvice, to the extent of a freehold qualification, will be disposed to the purchaser of this lot.

### L O T II.

The MAINS of INVERCARITY, with the tower, fortalice, and inclosures; the lands of Crief, and hill thereof; parks of Lintlay, and Birkhill, Corn-mill and Lint-mill, Mill-lands, Sparrowdrum, Greenmyre, Muirhouses, and Wester Shealhill, lying in the parish of Kirriemuir: And the lands of Torfachie, Drumhead, Well-bank, Cockfack, and Dunipark, with the Corn-mill and Waulk-mill, lying in the parish of Tannadvice, opposite to Invercarity, whereof the yearly free-rent, including the rises in 1780 and 1781, is 415 l. 18 s. 3 d. The upset price to be 10,700 l. — The lands lie in a fine sporting country, and have a great deal of thriving planting on them, (whereof a considerable part is just now fit for cutting), exceeding 1500 l. sterling in value, and a right of salmon fishing on the South Esk for above a mile on both sides of the river. At the junction of the Esk, Prosen, and Carity, stands the old castle, which, with some additions, would accommodate a private family. The situation is remarkably beautiful and romantic, and commands an extensive prospect of the strath down to Brechin and Montrose. — The lands hold partly of the Crown, entitling to a freehold-qualification, and partly of a subject superior, for a small feu-duty. And the rental rises 16 l. 6 s. 8 d. in 1782, and the three following years.

### L O T III.

MEAMS, Miln thereof, and Mill-lands, Balnagarrow, Chapelton, Dykefide, and Caldhame, whereof the yearly free-rent, including the rises in 1780 and 1781, is 203 l. 9 s. 4 d. sterling, and it rises 5 l. more in 1782. The upset price to be 4700 l.

On this lot is a thriving plantation of about 36 Scots acres of ground. The lands are very improvable, lie near the marle, and the thriving village of Kirriemuir, and hold of a subject superior for payment of a small feu-duty.

### L O T IV.

The lands of OVER and NETHER MEGGIES, in the parish of Kirriemuir, the free-yearly rent whereof is 80 l. 6 s. 4 d. and the upset price to be 2000 l. — The lands are of an excellent soil, in the neighbourhood of marle, and have a large improvable property muir adjacent to them, not rented. The markets of Kirriemuir stand there; tent-meal is drawn by the proprietor, and his tenants pay no custom.

### L O T V.

The Lands of EASTER COULL, and Sir John Ogilvy's part of the Lands of BALINTORE, Westertown, Lנגrum, and Burnside, lying in the parish of Lentrathen; the free rent whereof is 33 l. 9 s. 6 d. Also, an heritable right and tack of the Earl of Airlie's part of Balintore, redeemable on payment of 2000 merks Scots. To be exposed together at 1050 l. The lands afford excellent pasture; are of considerable extent, and very improvable. They are to hold feu of the purchaser of lot I. for payment of 6 pennies Scots feu-duty.

### L O T VI.

Lands of WESTMILL of GLENISLA, and mill thereof, Dalnac-hack, Easter and Wester Ward, and Dalchally, lying in the parish of Glenisla, whereof the free rent is 48 l. 9 s. 11 d. and the upset price is to be 1100 l. They lie in the mouth of the Highlands, in a fine sporting country, and very proper for goat whey quarters, having a small slated dwelling-house lately repaired. They hold of a subject superior for payment of a small feu-duty.

### L O T VII.

NEWTOWN PARKS, being fourteen in number, Little Park, Quarry, and Whammond's Foulds, whereof the yearly free-rent is 105 l. 1 s. 4 d. and the upset price is to be 2500 l. — These inclosures lie hard by the town of Kirriemuir, on the declivity of the hill, have a beautiful exposure to the south; and might be used and builded on to great advantage, there being an excellent free-stone quarry in one of the inclosures, plenty of good water, and clumps of thriving firs belonging to them.

Persons inclining a private bargain between and the day of sale, may apply to Alexander Farquharson, accomptant in Edinburgh, or to John Gordon clerk to the signet, in whose hands the title-deeds, articles of sale, and measurement of the lands may be seen.

The overker at Kinnordy will show the house and different lots of the estate.